

MARCH

REPUBLICAN.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1857.

W. E. are authorized to announce

Page, as a candidate for Tax

Collector of Benton County. Election

Monday in August next.

W. E. are authorized to announce

Bray, Esq., as a candidate for Tax

Collector of Benton County.

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S. P. McClure, Esq., as a candidate

for Tax Collector of Benton County. Election

Monday in August next.

W. E. are authorized to announce

James McHard, Esq., as a candidate

for reelection to the office of Tax Collector

of Benton County.

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Wm. W. Thacker, Esq., as a candidate

for Tax Collector of Benton County. Election

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John C. Barker, Esq., as a candidate

for Tax Collector of Benton County. Election

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W. E. are authorized to announce

James U. Bryan, Esq., as a candidate

for reelection to the office of Tax Assessor

of Benton County.

The scarlet fever.

This fatal and much dreaded disease,

which has prevailed to some extent, in our

Town and vicinity for some time past, has

interrupted considerably the progress of all

our schools, and in fact every kind of busi-

ness. But we think we can now safely

say to those who wish to send to school, or

visit our place on business, that the disease

has disappeared and the danger has passed,

and that they may do so with safety. We

have not heard of a single new case for a

week or ten days, and those who took the

disease previously are nearly all well.

President Pierce's Cabinet.—It is said

that President Pierce's cabinet furnishes

the first instance in the history of our

government, where every member of the cabi-

net of a President continued in office for

his entire term of four years without a

change in any of the departments.

We see it also stated that it is the in-

tervention of President Pierce, at the close

of his official term, to pay a visit to the South

and the municipal authorities of some of

the southern cities are making arrange-

ments to invite and entertain him. We

hope his intention will be carried out, and

feel assured, that he could not where meet

with a more sincere, cordial and hearty

welcome, than from his southern friends.

Dalton, Rome & Jacksonville

Rail Road.

Another Rail Road meeting was held in

Rome on the 25th ult. at which a report

was adopted recommending the immediate

organization of a company to build a road

from Dalton via Rome to Jacksonville, and

the opening of books of subscription for

that purpose. Our friends in Rome im-

pelled by self-preservation, (the first law of

nature, are now in downright good earnest

in this matter, and will doubtless continue

to press it to a successful completion. We

hope they will meet with every encourage-

ment here, for Jacksonville is in as much

danger, and has as deep an interest at

stake as Rome.

Mexico.—An important treaty, it is

stated, has already been made by our new

Mexican Minister Mr. Forsyth, late of

Mobile, by which Sonora, including a scope

of territory large enough for three States,

has been sold to the United States for \$15,

000,000. It is also said that a messenger

was dispatched to the United States by the

Mexican government, with the project of a

plan for an American protectorate over

that country. Should this plan be feasible

and agreed to by this government, it will

amount virtually to the annexation of Mex-

ico to the United States.

A "Cold Start."—The month of Febru-

ary to which we have just bid farewell,

was "as pleasant as May," and we have

heard it remarked, that every day in the

month, except Saturdays, was a working

day. But March came in upon us, with

north wind, frost and ice. There was con-

siderable ice yesterday morning and the

day before, and we suppose the early

garden vegetables, and plants and peach

fruit in bloom was nearly all killed. The

wheat was not sufficiently forward to be

injured.

March 4th 1857.—The publication

of this number of our paper falls in a pro-

pitious day. It is the close of the just, wis-

dom and successful administration of

Franklin Pierce; and the appointed day for

the inauguration of James Buchanan as

his successor, who has been triumphantly

elected by the great democratic party over

all the elements of opposition & disorgani-

zation united. His election has acted like

oil poured upon the troubled waters, at a

time when unparalleled danger seemed to

threaten the stability of our government;

and we hope and believe that the adminis-

tration of so great and good a man, is des-

tined to equal in success, that of any o-

ther that has ever blessed our happy coun-

try.

The Southern Democrat.

We have omitted to mention the fact,

that the American Eagle has changed

hands, having been purchased by Messrs.

A. B. Morrison & W. P. Cannon. The

name of the paper has also been changed

to that of "Southern Democrat," and we

presume its policy to what the name im-

ports. Mr. Cannon is a practical printer

of considerable experience, and will doubt-

less bring in requisition, all his energy, in-

dustry and knowledge of the business, for

the improvement of the paper. We hope

the labors of the new proprietors may be

amply rewarded by the patronage of a

liberal public.

The Coos River Argus says, that it

learns from reliable authority, that the

rumor affecting the credit of the Bank of

Chattanooga, is entirely without founda-

tion.

tion. The President and Chief Engineer

of the Memphis and Charleston Rail Road

says that the railroad connection, between

these two cities will be complete by the

first day of April next.

Constitutional Convention.—The com-

mittee appointed to investigate the charges

of corruption against certain members of

Congress, has reported in favor of the ex-

pulsion of four. We have no idea that

this is near the number of the guilty; but

disexpulsion will have a splendid effect—it

will make them hide better for some years

to come.

In the Senate on the 7th inst. Mr. Clay

from the Committee, to whom was referred

the bill to constitute Salina, in Alabama,

a port of delivery, reported it without a

minor amendment recommended in passage. He

asked, as the bill was recommended by the

Secretary of the Treasury, and was in re-

lation to a matter of great local interest

that it might be immediately put on its

passage. No objection being made, the

bill was read a third time and passed.

The New York Spirit of the Times

(thus closes an article, summing up the evi-

dence in the Bardell murder case. The

Editor expresses his convictions, as to who

are the guilty parties with very little re-

serve:

In the morning at half past eight o'clock,

the body was discovered by the Doctor's

office-boy, who at once gave the alarm to

the family. Mrs. Cunningham, on hearing

the news, went and tore her hair out, and

she did not go down stairs to look at the

corpse. Mr. Snodgrass went for a physi-

cian, and Mr. Ullman came down stairs

but Mr. Eckel, in answer, as it would ap-

pear, to the note left for him on the night

before, had gone out before breakfast, and

thing which he had never done before.

Presently the Coroner and officers came,

took charge of the house, and made a thor-

ough search. On the Doctor's body, in ad-

diti on the marks of the figure, there was

intended to strangle him, were fifteen deep

incised wounds, the last of which had crec-

ted the carotid artery in the neck, and in

one broad gash let out his life. The blood

spurted on the wall, nearly six feet high,

and must have drenched the murderer,

for their dripping skirts tracked them

wherever they went. Marks of blood were

found in the adjoining closet, where the

wretches had washed their hands, and

from the scene of the murder, the blood

was traced up stairs to the fourth floor,

a sort of store-room for dirty clothes; from

thence into a vacant room in front. There

was blood on the knob of this door, and

in spots on the floor. There was here, al-

so, a grate partially burnt out. In which

there were some fragments of a broken

wooden, and the fire appeared to have

been extinguished by pouring water on it,

as the mantelpiece was covered with a thick

coat of ashes. The blood on this floor had

been covered carefully with drops of spe-

rum. From the fourth story to the third

the dripping garments had underneath

way, (probably after water,) and the lace-

ment door was stained, where the assassins

had either tried if it were safe, or opened

it to let out or the other temporarily put

it down. The signs of the crime, in fact,

on this floor the Coroner began his in-

vestigation. In turn Mrs. Cunningham, the

servant Hannah, Mr. Eckel and Mr. Snod-

grass, testified that they had heard no noise

that night and Mrs. C. after giving in her

testimony, produced a significant

marriage, dated 25th of October, made be-

tween her and Dr. Bardell, by the Rev.

Brish Marvine. Dr. Marvine, on being

called, however, did not clearly identify

the body as that of the man who married

Mrs. C., and the servant of Mr. M., who

saw the ceremony, was likewise posi-

tive in the matter, both thought the man

wore longer whiskers, and he felt different

and an impression was thus left on the

public mind that Eckel had personated

Dr. Bardell in the plan to put him to

death, at the first convenient opportu-

nity, in order that Mrs. C., as his widow

might fall into possession of his property.

This hypothesis seems to be strengthened

by the fact that the Doctor took receipts

from Mrs. C. subsequent to the date of her

marriage, and the date of the receipt, be-

ing her wife and the presumption of

Eckel's guilt and complicity with her, is al-

so further strengthened by the finding in

his dressing room the very papers which

the Doctor had accused Mrs. C. of stealing

from his safe.

This is, the scope and picture of the evi-

dence, and we do not hesitate to say that

every atom of it points with fearful distinct-

ness to Mrs. Cunningham and Eckel as the

perpetrators of the crime. However, it is

parties who knew the road to every vacant

and fifteen minutes before election was

the time when the horror was performed. Mrs.

Cunningham and Eckel are proven to have

been about the house till nearly or quite

that time, and yet never heard the scuffle

nor the fearful cries which reached the ears

of a neighbor over the way.

There is no need of stifling our thoughts

any longer in this business. The whole

community have agreed upon a verdict,

and every individual unites to charge the

act upon the wretched woman and her

paramour. Our judgment goes the same

way, and we would say, that if we could

view with many little proofs, which

thus far, seem to have been overlooked.

Our theory of the crime, however, is, that

the intention to take the life of Dr. Bardell

had long been determined on by Mrs. Cun-

ningham and Eckel, and that poison would

have been the means, had not the Doctor

refused to eat or drink in the house.

Finally, that Friday night was fixed upon

for his dispatch; that after sending the

family to bed, the two murderers heard him

come in, and either sprang upon him from

some concealed recess in the room, or

entered while he was seated reading in his

chair. The first attempt was to strangle

him, with the view, doubtless, of hanging

up his body, as that of a suicide, but failing

to dispatch him in that way, in consequence

of the desperate struggle which he made

for life, they were obliged to attack him

with the knife. The desperation of life-

forts to escape, may be seen by his getting

so near the door, but as he stretched his

body to reach the knob, he received the

blow that let out all his life, and left them

at liberty, smothering with murder as they

SPECIAL NOTICES.
Holloway's Pills purify the secretions of the system, enter into the composition of every organ; for the blood feeds and cleans every fibre of the body. The cures effected by this famous remedy are daily evidence of its efficacy. The oldest physicians are thunderstruck at the rapidity with which cholera, dysentery and all complaints are eradicated by Holloway's Pills, after all the aperients and cathartics in their repertoire have been tried in vain. The philosophy of the matter is this: Nature is first relieved of the poisonous humors which paralyze her action, then assisted in her efforts to recuperate the system.

It saved my Life.—Such is the repeated testimony of hundreds of persons of all ages, with regard to the magic effect of Perry Davis' Pain Killer. When every medicine fails, this seems to possess a perfect charm over the various diseases incident to mankind. Sold by druggists generally.
March 11, 1857.

ATLANTA Medical College.

THE THIRD COURSE OF LECTURES in this Institution will commence on the first Monday in May, and continue four months.

SACRIFICE.

ALEXANDER BEANS, M.D., Professor of Chemistry and Pharmacology.
J. W. BROWN, M.D., Professor of Anatomy.

J. H. W. JONES, M.D., Professor of Principles and Practice of Medicine.
W. F. WESTMORELAND, M.D., Professor of Principles and Practice of Surgery.

JESSE BORING, M.D., Professor of Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children.
JOSEPH P. LOGAN, M.D., Professor of Physiology and General Pathology.

GEORGE WESTMORELAND, M.D., Professor of Materia Medica and Medical Jurisprudence.
W. H. WILSON, M.D., Demonstrator of Anatomy.

FEES.
For the Course of Lectures, \$105. Matriculation, (once only), \$5. Dissecting ticket, (taken once), \$10. Graduation fee, \$25. (These are the facilities now afforded by this Institution for the study of the various branches of medical science, the ensuing session, will make the course all that is desirable.)

The Dissection Room, in the new College building, furnished with sky-light, and supplied with sound material, will be open by the 15th of April.

Students can be had in the city, for \$4 per week.

For further information address
J. G. WESTMORELAND, Dean.
Feb. 11th, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 9th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Wm. W. Little and Cal. Morgan, Executors of the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, sworn to as the law directs, setting forth in said petition, that it would be to the interest of the Legatees under said will to sell the personal property of said estate, and that the same cannot be equally, fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof, and asks an order of court for the same, for the purpose of division among the Legatees of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court, that Friday the 10th day of April next, be set apart for the hearing and determining of said petition and the granting said order and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a regular term of said court to be held at the Court House of said county on said Friday the 10th day of April next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 9th day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 9th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Wm. B. Turnipseed, administrator with will annexed, of Sarah K. Likens, dec'd, and filed his accounts and vouchers, for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court that Thursday the 23d day of April next, 1857, be set for the examining, auditing and stating said account and allowing said vouchers, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be held at the Court House of said county on said Thursday the 23d day of April next, A. D. 1857, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

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A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 10th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came James N. Landers and Wm. Landers, adm. of the estate of Emily T. Nelson, dec'd, and filed their account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that Saturday the 18th day of April next, 1857, be set for examining, auditing and reporting said account and allowing said vouchers, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be held at the Court House of said county, on said Monday the 18th day of April next, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this the 10th day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Regular Term, March 9th, 1857.

THIS day came Wm. W. Little and Cal. Morgan, Executors of the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, sworn to as the law directs, setting forth in said petition, that it would be to the interest of the Legatees under said will to sell the personal property of said estate, and that the same cannot be equally, fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof, and asks an order of court for the same, for the purpose of division among the Legatees of said estate.

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Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 9th day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 2nd, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came J. L. Murphree & Son, Executors of the estate of Solomon Murphree, deceased, and filed their account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court that Monday the 6th day of April next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers, and making said settlement; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be held at the Court House of said county on said Monday the 6th day of April next, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 3d, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Wm. B. Turnipseed, administrator with will annexed, of Sarah K. Likens, dec'd, and filed his accounts and vouchers, for a final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court that Thursday the 23d day of April next, 1857, be set for the examining, auditing and stating said account and allowing said vouchers, and making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said court to be held at the Court House of said county on said Thursday the 23d day of April next, A. D. 1857, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 9th, A. D. 1857.

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Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 9th day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 10th, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came James N. Landers and Wm. Landers, adm. of the estate of Emily T. Nelson, dec'd, and filed their account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

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A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

The State of Alabama.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Special Term, March 2nd, A. D. 1857.

THIS day came Benjamin Easty and John W. Easty, Administrators of the Estate of Benjamin Easty, dec'd, and filed their account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is ordered by the Court, that Monday the 6th day of April next be set for examining, stating and reporting said account, allowing said vouchers and making said settlement; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a special term of said Court, to be held at the Court House of said County, on said Monday the 6th day of April next, and contest said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of said court, at office this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

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A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE.

There will be a Special Term of the Commissioners Court held at the Court House in the Town of Jacksonville on Monday the 23d day of March next 1857 for the purpose of allowing Errors and Involvements for the Tax Collector of said County for the year 1856.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

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Sept. 2, 1856.—ly. Directors.

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850 kegs Nails, in store and landing from bark J. E. Williams.

200 boxes Spanish Candles.

90 cases " in cartons.

150 packages Backsaw.

100 lb. Choice Soda.

500 gross Yeast Powder.

150 " Choice Northern Vinegar.

150 cases Wrapping Paper.

250 cases Sausage—Lorillard's Rooms and Garrett's.

250 M Cigars—a fine assortment.

150 bags and bales Macha & Java Coffee.

100 gross Mason's Blacking.

250 dozen Painted Pails.

UNITED STATES MAIL.

Alabama.
Post Office Department,
February 2, 1857.

PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States from the 1st July, 1857 to 30th June, 1858, on the following routes in the State of Alabama, and in the times herein specified, will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 3 P. M. of the 21st March next, to be decided by the 25th April following:

2703 From Daleville, by Westville, Law Ridge, Indigo Head, and Elba, to Andalusia, 58 miles & back, twice a week.

Leave Daleville Tuesday and Saturday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Andalusia next day by 12 m;
Leave Andalusia Wednesday & Sunday at 6 p m;

Arrive at Daleville next days by 6 p m.

2704 From Gadsden, by Fairview, Lookout Mountain, Hendricksville, Sand Mountain, Worth, and Strait Creek, to Bellefonte, 60 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Gadsden Wednesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Bellefonte next day by 6 p m;

Leave Bellefonte Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Gadsden next day by 6 p m.

2706 From Ashville, by Bug Pond and Merry Bay, to Big Creek, 42 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Ashville Wednesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Big Creek by 8 p m;

Leave Big Creek Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Ashville by 8 p m.

2707 From Andalusia, by Ghentville, Fla., to Uchee Anna, 72 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Andalusia Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Uchee Anna next day by 6 p m;

Leave Uchee Anna Wednesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Andalusia next day by 6 p m;

2708 From Andalusia to Williams's Mill, (in Covington county,) 24 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Andalusia Tuesday at 5 a m;
Arrive at Williams's Mill by 12 m;

Leave Williams's Mill Tuesday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Andalusia by 8 p m.

2709 From Ashville, by Mount Niles, Ogee, and Chequelpet, to Blountsville, 32 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Ashville Friday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Blountsville by 6 p m;

Leave Blountsville Saturday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Ashville by 6 p m;

2710 From Beaverton, by Greene Hall's to Thorn Hill, 40 miles & back, once a week.

Leave Beaverton Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Thorn Hill by 7 p m;

Leave Thorn Hill Saturday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Beaverton by 7 p m.

2711 From Beaverton, by Levi C. Blair's, to Ashville, 17 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Beaverton Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Ashville by 12 m;

Leave Ashville Thursday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Beaverton by 7 p m.

2712 From Beaverton, by Pleasant Hill, Caneblow, and Richmond, to Camden, 52 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Beaverton Monday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Camden next day by 7 p m.

Leave Camden Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Beaverton by 12 m.

2713 From Louisville, by New Topia, to Ashville, 30 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Louisville Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Ashville by 6 p m;

Leave Ashville Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Louisville by 6 p m.

2714 From Columbus, by James Walton's, Henry Webster's, & B. Cook's, to Cropwell, 38 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Columbus Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Cropwell by 7 p m;

Leave Cropwell Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Columbus by 7 p m.

2715 From Crawford, by Maughlin's, to Society Hill, 16 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Crawford Saturday at 6 p m;
Arrive at Society Hill by 12 m;

Leave Society Hill Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Crawford by 12 m.

2716 From Elba, by Greenland, Cook's, Store, and Millville, to Greenville, 50 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Elba Friday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Greenville next day by 6 p m;

Leave Greenville Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Elba next day by 12 m;

2717 From Eufaula, by Fort Bowler, Spring Hill and Enon, to Tuskegee, 60 miles and back, once a week.

Leave Eufaula Wednesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Tuskegee next day by 5 p m;

Leave Tuskegee Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Eufaula next day by 5 p m;</

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ALFRED BAKER, T. D. CASWELL,
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MERCHANTS.

Will attend promptly to the sale of
Cotton, Corn, Wheat, Beans, Lard, Oil,
&c. consigned to their care.
Admission if required made on Pro-
duce in Store.
Augusta, April 15, 1856.—1y

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BROAD STREET.
(Nearly Opposite the United States and
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Fresh additions of
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all of which will be warranted in every
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Catalogues furnished gratis, when ap-
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Clover, Lucerne or French Clover, Blue
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The subscribers would respectfully call
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From the well known and justly cele-
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which are warranted in every res-
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The subscriber would also state that the
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STOCK OF**
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Lace BONNETS. Rutland and
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All orders promptly obeyed.
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When leave to tender their ser-
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Messrs. Ryan, Francis & Rowland,
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POST.
The Infants Prayer.
WRITTEN FOR THE COLUMBIAN AND GREAT
WEST.

BY—
Silence filled the courts of heaven, hushed
were angel harp and tone,
While a little new born spirit knelt before
the Eternal Throne.

As his small white hands were lifted—
clasped as if in earnest prayer,
And his voice in low, sweet murmurs, rose
like music on the air:

Light from the full fount of glory, on his
face of whiteness glistened,
And the lighted candles gleamed around him,
loved their radiant beams & listened.

Lord, from thy world of glory here
My heart turns fondly to another;
O Lord—our God—the Comforter,
Comfort, comfort my sweet mother.

Heavily has she drooped, and her
Heavy sorrow has thou sent her,
And the Jewel that has lost her,
Unraptured yielded up.

Comfort, comfort my sweet mother—
Earth is growing lonely round her,
Me her Willie, last thou taken:
Let her not, the clouds surround her,
Feel herself left thus forsaken.

Let her think, while faint and weary,
Let her wait for her loved one,
Let her think that which makes earth drear-
ty.

Make the thought of heaven more dear,
Comfort, comfort my sweet mother—
Saviour, thou in nature human,
Well on earth, a little child,
Pillowed on the breast of woman,
Blessed Mary, unfiled,

Thou, who from the clouds of suffering,
Viewed thy mother's fearful face,
And lo! quothest her to thy loved one,
Bidding him to fill thy place.

Comfort, comfort my sweet mother—
Thou, who from the heavens descending,
Tears and woes and sufferings won;
Thou, who, nature's laws suspending,
Gave the widow back her son:

Thou, who, at the grave of Lazarus,
Went with those who wept their dead,
Thou, who once in mortal anguish,
Bowed thine own august head,

Comfort, comfort my sweet mother—
The dove like murmur, died away upon
the evening air;
Yet still the little suppliant knelt his hands
still clasped in prayer:

Still were the softly pleading eyes turned
While angel harp and angel voice rang out
in mingling tone—
And as the choral numbers swelled, by an-
gel voice given.

High, loud, and clear the anthem rolled
through all the vaults of heaven—
"He is the warrior's God," it said, "who
spare not his own Son!"

The infant spirit bowed its head—"Who
will, O God be done!"

A Country Home for me.
I do not ask that city spires
May round my mansion rise,
But that my house may be where trees
Are pointing to the skies:

Where flows the silvery mountain rill
With a sweet and a merry sound,
And echoes of the hunter's gun
Shall through the woods resound.

I cannot love the city's pomp,
Its fashion and its pride,
I had rather dwell in a humble cot
Upon the mountain side.

Where sweetly blooms the Acacia tree,
The tulip and the rose,
And where beside the rivulets,
The early violet grows.

I would not give my quiet house,
Its happiness and health,
For all the city palaces,
Its pleasure and its wealth:

I love to breathe the mountain air,
And roam where all is free,
Let others chase a city life—
But a country home for me!

MISCELLANEOUS.
BONES OF A GIANT FOUND.—Not long
ago, when the workmen were digging a
well near North Bend, Ohio, the skeleton
of a man, rather of a giant, was found,
twenty-two feet below the surface of the
earth—who, when living, towered to the
summit of a mountain of twenty-three feet and
killed there in a duel, with a pistol, a
man who was critically
examined by Professor Land, who arrives at
the startling fact, that this monster man
was capable of wielding the fire arm with
sufficient force to have thrown a cannon
ball weighing 15 pounds from a distance
of 100 yards, or to have thrown a large
mallet from a distance of 100 yards, or to
have thrown a large mallet from a distance
of 100 yards, or to have thrown a large
mallet from a distance of 100 yards.

Section's Ferry, in South Carolina,
is now "blasted" by a fire. But a few
days since a Mr. Daniel, of Charleston,
was on a boat, with his wife and child,
on Monday a Mr. Bonbricks, of Char-
leston, received his death wound there in
a duel fought with the same weapons.
Duels are becoming "faded" in the South—
a fact that will prevent their frequency, as
men will not engage in them for trivial
causes when there is any certainty that
life will be lost.—Daily Messenger.

Decision of the U. S. Supreme Court.
A telegraphic dispatch from Washington
to the Savannah Georgian says that the
opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of
Dred Scott has been delivered by Chief
Justice Taney. It declares that negroes,
under the Constitution of the United States,
are not citizens; that the Missouri Com-
promise was unconstitutional, being the exer-
cise of a power not delegated by the States
to the General Government, but that the
ordinance of 1787 was binding, being the
act of the several States prior to the adop-
tion of the Federal Constitution.

POLITICAL.
INAUGURAL ADDRESS.
OF
PRESIDENT BUCHANAN,
March 4, 1857.

FELLOW CITIZENS: I appear before you
this day to take the solemn oath "that I
will faithfully execute the office of Presi-
dent of the United States, and will, to the
best of my ability, preserve, protect and
defend the Constitution of the United
States."

In entering upon this great office, I must
humbly invoke the God of our fathers for
wisdom and firmness, to execute its high
and responsible duties in such a manner as
to restore harmony and ancient friendship
among the people of these several States, and
to preserve our free institutions through-
out many generations. Convinced that I
owe my election to the inherent love of
the Constitution and the Union which still
animates the hearts of the American peo-
ple, let me earnestly ask their powerful
support, in sustaining all just measures
calculated to perpetuate these, the richest
political blessings which Heaven has ever
bestowed upon any nation. Having de-
termined not to become a candidate for re-
election, I shall have no motive to in-
fluence my conduct in administering the gov-
ernment except the desire to fulfill the
duties of the office, and to live in the
grateful memory of my countrymen.

We have recently passed through a Presi-
dential contest in which the passions of
our fellow-citizens were excited to the high-
est degree by questions of deep and vital
importance, but when the people pread-
ed their votes, they were not unmindful
of the sacredness of the office, and the
all were calm.

The voice of the majority, speaking in
the manner prescribed by the constitution,
was heard, and instant submission follow-
ed. Our own country could have ex-
hibited no grander and nobler spectacle
of the capacity of man for self-government.

What a happy conception, then, was it
for Congress to apply this simple rule
that the will of the majority shall govern
to the settlement of the question of dem-
onstrating the Territory of Kansas.

As a natural consequence, Congress has
prescribed that when the Territory of
Kansas shall be admitted as a State, it
shall be admitted as a State, it shall be
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A difference of opinion has arisen in re-
gard to the point of time when the people
of a Territory shall decide this question for
themselves.

This is, happily, a matter of but little
practical importance. Besides, it is a ju-
dicial question, which legitimately belongs
to the Supreme Court of the United States,
before whom it is now pending, and with
it is essential, to be speedily and finally
settled. To their decision, in common with
all good citizens, I shall cheerfully submit,
whatever this may be, though it has over
been my individual opinion that, under the
Nebraska-Kansas act, the appropriate pe-
riod will be when the number of actual res-
idents in the Territory shall justify the
formation of a constitution and finally
admission as a State into the Union.

But be this as it may, it is the imperative
and indisputable duty of the govern-
ment of the United States to secure to every
inhabitant the free and independent ex-
pression of the opinion by his vote. This
sacred right of each individual must be pre-
served, and the people must be enabled to
exercise it.

The being accomplished, nothing
can be fairer than to leave the people
of a Territory, free from all foreign inter-
ference, to decide their own destiny for
themselves, subject only to the Constitution
of the United States.

The whole of the question, being thus
settled upon the principle of popular sov-
ereignty, as prescribed by the constitution,
it remains for the government to see that
the people are enabled to exercise their
right of self-government in a peaceful
manner, free from all foreign inter-
ference, to decide their own destiny for
themselves, subject only to the Constitution
of the United States.

But the squandering of the public money
into comparative insignificance as a
temptation to corruption when compared
with the squandering of the public lands,
is a matter of much more serious conse-
quence. The public lands are a vast
treasure, and it is the duty of the gov-
ernment to see that they are not
squandered.

Our cardinal principle is to preserve these
lands, as much as possible, for actual settle-
ment, and this at moderate prices. We
shall thus not only best promote the pros-
perity of the new States and Territories by fur-
nishing them a large and independent race
of honest and industrious citizens, but shall
secure a home for our children and our
children's children, as regards to these
lands, from foreign shores who may seek
in this country to improve their con-
dition, and to enjoy the blessings of civil
and religious liberty. Such emigrants have
done much to promote the growth and pros-
perity of the country. They have proved
faithful both in peace and in war. After
leaving citizens, they are entitled to the
protection and laws, to be placed on a
perfect equality with native-born citizens,
and in this character they should ever be
kindly regarded.

The federal constitution is a grant from
the States to Congress of certain specific
powers, and the question whether the
grant should be liberally or strictly con-
strued, has, more or less, divided public
opinion from the beginning. When I
bring into the argument, I desire to state,
in the commencement of my administra-
tion, that long experience and observation
have convinced me that a strict construc-
tion of the powers of the government is the
only true, as well as the only safe, theory
of the constitution. When ever, in our past
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Territories of the United States, over which
men and munitions of war may be speedily
transported from the Atlantic States to
meet and to repel the invader? In the
event of a war with a naval power much
stronger than our own, we should then
have no other available access to the Pacific
coast, because such a power would in-
stantly close the route across the isthmus
of Central America. It is impossible to
conceive that, whilst the constitution has
expressly required Congress to defend all
the States, it should yet deny to them, by
any fair construction, the only possible
means by which one of these States can be
defended. Besides, the government,

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This most splendid and life-like picture of the age, can be had at *Verdi's Gallery*. The Ambroype is far superior to the old-fashioned Daguerotype in depth of tone and durability. These pictures are taken upon glass, and will not fade, and may be handed down "from sire to son" to the third and fourth generation. In this respect, all men may insure for themselves a kind of immortality on Earth.

Reader, would you be remembered by some loved one? Is there a kind and loving sister, or some dear relative who would joyfully accept of affectionate gifts? Why then delay to have your exact image transferred to a beautiful Ambroype? Would you have your Mother's likeness, your sister's, brother's, &c., in the hands of the gallery? You may be found upstairs, above Jno. Crawford's cabinet shop, opposite Caldwell's Printing Office.

Terms—Cash for Cash.
Dec 31, 1856. R. E. NIELL.

Notice to Debtors.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of Ramey & Co. of White Plains are hereby notified to settle their notes and accounts by the second Saturday in February, or they will be put out for collection by law.
Feb. 5, 1857.—B. O. RAMEY.

Executors' Notice.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the last will and testament of Daniel M. Walker, dec'd., were issued to the undersigned, by the Hon. Alexander Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 14th day of January, 1857; they hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, that the same must be presented, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. J. WALKER, } Es.
MILES W. ABERNATHY, }
January 21, 1857.—Gw.

Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration on the estate of Albert Snow, dec'd., were granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, on the 14th day of February, 1857. All persons having claims against said estate will present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

F. SNOW, Adm.
March 4th 1857.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of James Berry, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 2nd day of March, 1857. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.

JAMES L. ORR, Adm.
March 4, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.

Court of Probate for Benton County, Alabama, Regular Term.

March the 9th, 1857.

THIS day came Wm. W. Little and Callie G. Morgan, Executors of the last will and testament of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, sworn to by the said Callie G. Morgan, to the interest of the Legatees under said will, to sell the personal property of said estate, and that the same cannot be equally, fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof, and ask an order of court for the same, for the purpose of division among the Legatees of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court, that Friday the 10th day of April next, be set apart for the hearing and determining of said petition and the granting said order; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a regular term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county on said Friday the 10th day of April next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

WITNESS: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 9th day of March, A. D. 1857.

A. WOODS, Judge.

Mar. 11, 1857.—2d. of Probate.

Executors' Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned Executors, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 9th day of March, 1857, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. W. LITTLE, } Es.
Callie G. MORGAN, }
March 11, 1857.—Gw.

JOHN L. THOMASON, THOMAS HAYDEN, THOMASON & HAYDEN,

Attorneys at Law.

and

debtors in Chancery.

ASHVILLE, ALA.

Will pay strict attention to all business entrusted to their care in the counties of Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, Marshall, DeKalb, Cherokee, Benton and St. Clair, and in the Supreme Court of the State.

Jan. 29, '54.

Piano Fortes and Melodeons.

From the best Manufacturers in the country, sold at *Verdi's* prices, and warranted in every particular.

W. BLANDIN, Agent.
December 31, 1856.—Gw.

Howard Association.

PHILADELPHIA.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as SPERMATORRHOEA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCE, GONORRHOEA, GLEET, SYPHILIS, the Vice of Onanism, or Self Abuse, &c., the HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual diseases, and the untold number of victims of such diseases, have directed their Consulting Surgeon, a CHARITABLE ACT worthy of their name, to give

Medical Advice Gratis.

to all persons thus afflicted, who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, age, occupation, habits of life, &c., and in cases of extreme poverty and suffering, to FURNISH MEDICINES FREE OF CHARGE.

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION is a benevolent

Just Published, by the Association, a Report on

Address: Dr. GEO. R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 28 South NINTH Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

By order of the Directors.

EDWARD H. HEARTWELL, President.

GEO. FAIRCHILD, Secretary.

PURIFY THE BLOOD.

MOFFAT'S

LIFE PILLS

AND

Phoenix Bitters.

THE great popularity which Moffat's

Life Pills and Phoenix Bitters have

attained, is consequence of extraordinary cures

effected by their use, and is unnecessary for

the proprietor to enter into particular notices

of their medicinal virtues or properties. Having

been more than twenty years before the public

and having the entire testimony of more than

three millions of persons who have been

restored to the enjoyment of perfect health by

their use, it is believed that their reputation as the

best vegetable medicine now before the public,

is well deserved. In almost every city and

village in the United States, there are many

who are ready to testify to their efficacy in

removing disease, and giving to the whole system

new vigor and health.

In cases of *Scurvy, Dropsy, Swelling*

of the skin, the operation of the

LIFE PILLS is truly astonishing.

Persons suffering from these

affections, are recommended to use

these medicines, as they will cure them

without the aid of any other medicine.

As they are so easily and so safely

used, they are recommended to all

persons who are afflicted with any of the

above named diseases, as they will

remove them, and give to the whole

system new vigor and health.

Prepared by

Wm. B. MOFFAT, M. D.

And For sale by

HENDRICK & NISBET,

Mar. 4, '57.—ly. Jacksonville.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias

from the Circuit Court of Benton

County and to me directed, in fa-

vor of Mathew Hicks, and against

Anderson McLeroy, I will sell to

the highest bidder for cash, be-

fore the Court House door, in the

Town of Jacksonville, on Monday

the 6th day of April 1857, the fol-

lowing described land to wit: The

south half of south east 1-4, of

section six Township 14 Range 12,

80 acres; also the south east quarter

of south west quarter, of section 6

Township 14 Range 12 40 acres;

relied on as the property of said

McLeroy, to satisfy said Writ.

A. BROWN, Sheriff.

Feb. 25, 1857.

MONEY WANTED.

And Must be Had.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of

A. Walker & Son, Mount Polk, are

hereby notified to make immediate

AYR'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

FOR the rapid cure of

Coughs, Colds, Hoarse-

ness, Bronchitis, Whoop-

ing-Cough, Asthma and

Consumption, is univer-

sally known as the best

remedy ever yet discover-

ed for every variety of

Pulmonary disease. So wide is the

field of its usefulness, and so numerous the

cases of its cures, that almost every section

of the country abounds in persons publicly

known, who have been restored from al-

arming and even desperate diseases of the

lungs by its use. When once tried its

superiority over every other medicine of its

kind is so apparent to common observation,

and where its virtues are known, the pub-

lic no longer hesitate what antidote to em-

ploy for the distressing and dangerous af-

fections of the pulmonary organs which

are incident to our climate. By its timely

use many, nay almost all attacks of dis-

ease on the lungs or throat, are arrest-

ed and thus saved from the danger of

death from the pulmonary grave. No

family should be without it, and those who

do neglect to provide themselves with a

remedy which wards off this dangerous

cause of diseases will have cause to de-

plore it when it is too late. Proofs of the

surprising efficacy of the Cherry Pectoral

are given in the American people,

they have living proofs in every neigh-

borhood. But those who wish to read the

statements of those whose whole health

has been restored and whose lives have

been saved by its use, will find them in

any American Almanic, which the agents

here named has to furnish gratis for every

order.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell

Ms., and sold by Druggists everywhere.

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HENDRICK & NISBET Jacksonville

R. M. DICKSON Alexandria

WILLIAM & SMART Oxford

COWAN & MCMURRY Turkey Town

J. B. HENRY Gasdon.

GROCERIES

Wholesale and Retail Prices.

WE have a large stock of GROC-

ERIES, direct from a

large establishment in New York and

Baltimore, consisting in part of Rio & Java

COFFEE, Crushed and Brown Sugar,

Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Canned

Butter, Star Candles, Family Sugar,

Bar & Toilet Soap, Pepper, Spice, Gin-

ger, Coppers, Soda, Sardines, Butter

Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cat-

ton and Mailla Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named

articles we sell as low as they can be

bought at any points in the State; and

we will sell any article in the Grocery line

at retail and Wholesale prices with

freight added.

We also have on hand a large stock of

STAPLE & FANCY

DRY GOODS,

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware Queens-

ware, &c., all of which we purchased

extensively for cash and are selling at

small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.

Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.—ly.

Huntsville Female College

THE spring session of

this institution will open on

the 2nd Monday in February

next.

Maryland Lotteries.

FOR MARCH, 1857.

R. FRANCE & CO. Managers.

Drawings conducted under the superin-

tendence of the State Lottery

Commissioner.

PRIZES PAID AS SOON AS DRAWN.

A Grand Maryland Lottery,

ON THE HAVANA PLAN.

GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY OF MD.

Extra Class 2.

To be drawn in Baltimore Md. Saturday,

March 28th, 1857.

30,000 NUMBERS—1,000 PRIZES!

In these Lotteries every prize must be

drawn by some one, as all the Prizes

are drawn out of the wheel.

R. T. H. HUBBARD, & Co. are

authorized by the Managers to fill all

orders.

SPLENDID SCHEME.

1 prize of \$32,000

1 prize of 10,000

2 prizes of 4,900

2 prizes of 3,000

4 prizes of 2,000

4 prizes of 1,500

4 prizes of 1,250

4 prizes of 1,000

10 prizes of 700

20 prizes of 500

144 prizes of 300

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 of \$400 Approx \$32,000

4 of 300 " 10,000

8 of 200 " 4,900

8 of 150 " 3,000

16 of 100 " 2,000

16 of 90 " 1,500

16 of 80 " 1,250

16 of 70 " 1,000

40 of 55 " 700

80 of 50 " 500

576 of 30 " 300

1,000 " \$183,600

Whole Tickets \$10; Halves \$5;

Quarters 2 50.

BRILLIANT SCHEME.

GRAND CONSOLIDATED

LOTTERY OF MD.

Class E.

To be drawn in Baltimore Md.

Saturday, March 21st, 1857.

SCHEME.

1 prize of \$63,710

2 prizes of 12,500

2 prizes of 10,000

10 prizes of 5,000

10 prizes of 3,500

10 prizes of 2,000

10 prizes of 1,250

80 prizes of 600

132 prizes of 300

132 prizes of 200

132 prizes of 100

3,500 prizes of 40

25,740 prizes of 20

30,316 prizes amounting to \$1,141,110

Wholes \$20; Halves \$10; Quarters \$5;

Extras \$2 50.

Certificate of packages of 16 wholes \$316.00

do do 20 Halves 132.00

do do 26 Quarters 79.60

do do 26

From the smiling glance so sunny
Of my darling Mary Lee.
ALLEGHANY, 1857.

'Father wasn't Alexander a hero?'
'Yes my boy.'
'Well then, father, wasn't Mrs. Alex

der a shero?"

AMBROYPES

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THE most splendid and like-life picture of the age, can be had at *Noble's Gallery*. The Ambrotype is far superior to the old-fashioned Daguerrotype in depth of tone and durability. These pictures are taken upon glass, and will not fade, and may be handled from "sire to son" to the third and fourth generation. In this respect, all men may insure for themselves a kind of immortality on earth.

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Terms—Cash for Cash.
Dec 31, 1856. R. E. NEELD.

Notice to Debtors.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of *Raney & Co. of White Plains* are hereby notified to settle their notes and accounts by the second Saturday in February, or they will be put out for collection by law.
Feb. 5, 1857.—31.
B. O. RANEY.

Executors' Notice.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the last will and testament of Daniel M. Walker, dec'd, were issued to the undersigned, by the Hon. Alexander Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 14th day of January, 1857; they hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, that the same must be presented, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.
Wm. J. WALKER, } Exs.
MILES W. ABERNETHY, }
January 21, 1857.—41.

Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration on the estate of Albert Snow, dec'd, were granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, on the 14th day of February, 1857. All persons having claims against said estate will present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
F. SNOW, Adm.
March 14, 1857.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of James Berry, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 2nd day of March, 1857. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.
JAMES L. ORR, Adm.
March 4, 1857.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

Benton County.
Court of Probate for BENTON COUNTY, ALABAMA, Regular Term, March the 9th, 1857.

TINIS say came Wm. L. Little and Catherine G. Morgan, Executors of the last will and testament of Samuel Morgan, deceased, and filed their petition in writing, sworn to as the law directs, setting forth in said petition, that it would be to the interest of the Legatees under said will to sell the personal property of said estate, and that the same cannot be equally, fairly and beneficially divided without a sale thereof, and asks an order of court for the same, for the purpose of division among the Legatees of said estate.

It is ordered by the Court, that Friday the 10th day of April next, be set apart for the hearing and determining of said petition and the granting said order; and that notice thereof be given by publication in the *Jacksonville Republican*, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a regular term of said court to be holden at the Court House of said county on said Friday the 10th day of April next, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

Witness: A. Woods, Judge of Probate of said County, at office on this 9th day of March, A. D. 1857. A. WOODS, Judge.

Executors' Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Samuel Morgan, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, Executors, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 9th day of March, 1857; all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
Wm. L. LITTLE, } Exs.
C. G. MORGAN, }
March 11, 1857.—41.

Attorneys at Law.

JOHN L. THOMASON, THOMAS HAYDEN, THOMASON & HAYDEN,
Attorneys at Law,
and
Chancery in Chancery,
ASHVILLE, ALA.

Piano Fortes and Melodeons.

From the best Manufacturers in the country, sold at *Mohr's* prices, and warranted in every particular by,
J. W. BLANDIN, Agent.
December 31, 1856.—41.

Howard Association.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
TO ALL PERSONS AFFECTED BY SEVERAL DISEASES, SUCH AS SPERMATORRHEA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCE, GONORRHOEA, GLEET, SYPHILIS, the Vice of Onanism, or Self Abuse, &c.

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual diseases, practiced upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, have directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a CHARTERED ACT of their name, to give

Medical Advice Gratis
to all persons afflicted with the above diseases, a description of their condition, age, occupation, habits of life, &c., and in cases of extreme poverty and suffering, to FURNISH MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS.

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION is a benevolent institution, established by special endowment for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with "Venereal and epidemic Diseases." It has now a surplus of means, which the Directors have voted to expend in advertising the above notice. It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment.

Just Published, by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhea, or Seminal Weakness, the Vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self Abuse, and Diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail (in a sealed envelope) FREE OF CHARGE, on the receipt of TWO STAMPS for postage.

Address, Dr. GEO. R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South NINTH Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors,
EZRA D. HEARTWELL, President.
GEO. FAIRCHILD, Secretary.

PURIFY THE BLOOD.

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS
AND
Phenix Bitters.

THE great popularity which *Moffat's Life Pills* and *Phenix Bitters* have attained, in consequence of extraordinary cures effected by their use, renders it unnecessary for the publisher to enter into a particular analysis of their medicinal virtues or properties. Having been more than twenty years before the public, and having the unvarying testimony of more than three millions of persons, who every day are testifying to the efficacy of their use in removing disease and restoring the whole system to renewed vigor and health.

In cases of *Scurvy, Liver, Scurvy, Eruptions of the skin*, the operations of the LIFE PILLS are truly astonishing, often removing in a few days, every vestige of these loathsome diseases, and their purifying effects are beyond description.

For sale by
HENDRICK & NISBET,
Mar. 4, '57—11, Jacksonville.

SHERIFF SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *fa. fa. vend.* from the Circuit Court of Benton County and to me directed, in favor of Matthew Hicks, and against Anderson Melroy, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the Court House door, in the Town of Jacksonville, on Monday the 6th day of April 1857, the following described land to wit: The south half of south east 1-4, of section six Township 14, Range 12, 80 acres; also the south east quarter of south west quarter, of section 6 Township 14 Range 12 40 acres; levied on as the property of said Melroy, to satisfy said *fa. fa.*
A. BROWN, Sheriff.
Feb. 25, 1857.

MONEY WANTED.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of *A. Walker & Son*, Mount Park, are hereby notified to make immediate payment. The death of one of the firm renders it imperative necessary that the partnership business should be closed forthwith, and those who fail to heed this notice may expect to have cost to pay.
H. L. PETTIT, }
Feb. 25, 1857. }
Succ. Part.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Letters of Administration, with the will annexed, upon the estate of Elijah Taggart, dec'd, were granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Benton County, Ala., on the 29th day of December, 1856. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
JAMES LEA, }
Feb. 11, 1857. }
Administrator.

W. J. JOHNSON, JAMES L. JOHNSON, W. J. JOHNSON & BROTHER,
Attorneys at Law,
JACKSONVILLE, Ala.

Attorney at Law.

A. WOODS,
Jacksonville, Alabama.

J. M. WRIGHT,

Attorney at Law,
JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

CHESTER HOUSE,

DALTON GA.
BY W. P. CHESTER.

On the corner of Hamilton and King

streets, near the depot.
Travellers and others will find every preparation made, and attention given for their convenience and comfort.
June 24, 1856.—11.

CHESTER HOTEL,

ROME, GEO.
Wm. M. ROBERTS,
Proprietor.
HIRAM D. HARRIS, Superintendent.
Rome Ga. Sept. 10, 1856.—11.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

FOR THE rapid cure of Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma and Consumption, is universally known as the best remedy ever yet discovered for every variety of Pulmonary disease. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate while antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs. And it is incident to our climate. By its timely use many, nay almost all attacks of disease upon the Lungs or throat, are arrested and thus are saved many thousands every year from the premature grave. No family should be without it, and those who do neglect to provide themselves with a remedy which will ward off this dangerous class of diseases will have cause to deplore it when it is too late. Proofs of the surprising efficacy of the Cherry Pectoral need not be given to the American people, they have living proofs in every neighborhood. But those who wish to read the testimony of those whose health has been restored and whose lives have been saved by its use, will find them in my American Almanic, which the agents below named has to furnish gratis for every one.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell Ms., and sold by Druggists everywhere.

FOR SALE BY
HENDRICK & NISBET,
R. M. DICKSON, Jacksonville.
WILLIAMS & SMART, Alexandria.
COWAN & MCCLUNEY, Turkey Town.
J. B. HENRY, Gasconade.

GROCERIES

Wetumpka and Selma Prices.
We will keep constantly on hand, a large stock of GROCERIES, such as
Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Salt, Western Cheese, Goshen Butter, Star Candles, Family Starch, Bar & Toilet Soap, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Caper, Soda, Sardines, Butter, Crackers, Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Cotton and Maudlin Rope, Nails, &c.

A large portion of the above named articles we will sell as low as they can be bought at any points in the State; and will sell any article in the Grocery line at Selma and Wetumpka prices with freight added.

We also have on hand a large stock of **STAPLE DRY GOODS**, Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware & Queensware, &c.—all of which we purchased exclusively for cash, and are selling at small profits on the same terms.

J. H. BRADFORD & CO.,
Talladega, Ala. Feb. 5, 1857.—11.

Huntsville Female College

THE SPRING SESSION of this Institution will open on the 2nd Monday in February next.

The Faculty is filled with able and experienced Teachers. The Domestic Department has been recently favored by the addition of a lady of *Goshens*, of eminent qualifications and great industry. Young ladies will be as well cared for here, in sickness and health, as under the parental roof. This shall be a model boarding school in all its departments.

The *General* branches are provided with the best means of pursuing them. The *French* is pursued by a native teacher, who is assisted by a lady well qualified with pupils, in and out of School, at the table and elsewhere, in the French language.

The Music Department.

is furnished with one of the most distinguished Teachers and performers as its Principal and all the modern instruments, and a large stock of musical books, and a variety of *musical* and *mechanical* apparatus. D. B. TRAXER, Esq., President of the Commercial Bank, Memphis, has given the Institution \$2000 the annual income of which is to secure a gold medal with suitable inscriptions, to be awarded to the student who shall perform with the most eminent instrument at the Anniversary Concert of the Institution. It is known as the "Tune Piece."

The Institution is furnished with a large and costly Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus.

THE EXPENSES for Board and Tuition, without the extra of Music, French, Drawing or Painting, vary between \$7 and \$10 per session of 20 weeks, and include the advancement of the pupil. The Extras—for Music, including use of Instrument, \$20 for French, 10 to 15 for Latin, and \$20 for Painting. \$20 for Vocal Lessons. \$20 for the use of the Piano. For further particulars apply for a Catalogue, by addressing the undersigned.

G. M. EVERHART, President,
Huntsville, Ala.
Dec 21, 1856.

J. A. KATH, }
J. M. SPENCER, }
Selma, }
Talladega, }

Warehouse & Commission

Business, by
KEITH & SPENCE.

The subscribers having leased a building for a term of years, (from 1st September, inst.) that fine

New Brick Ware-house, recently erected by POE & SWIFT, at foot of Water street, offer their services to the public, to do a *General Storage and Commission Business*, and hope by giving their personal attention to receive a liberal share of patronage.

The building being of brick and covered with tin, and remote from other buildings, makes it almost entirely secure from fire.

Goods, Corros, and other produce consigned to us, drayed to and from the Railroad, Free of Charge.

Storage—25 cents first month; for two months, or season, 37 1/2 cents. Merchandise, 18 1/2 cents per bale. Selling cotton, 50 cents per bale; other produce 50 per cent.

KEITH & SPENCE,
P. S.—Persons to have cotton, or other produce intended for us, regularly consigned when forwarded to the Railroad, to K. & S.,
Selma, Ala. September 9, 1856.—1857.

JOB WORK

NEATLY EXECUTED
AT
THIS OFFICE.

Maryland Lotteries.

FOR MARCH, 1857.
R. FRANCE & CO. Managers.
Drawings conducted under the supervision of the State Lottery Commissioner.

PRIZES PAID AS SOON AS DRAWN.

A Grand Maryland Lottery, ON THE HAVANA PLAN.
GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY OF MD.

Extra Class 2.
To be drawn in Baltimore Md. Saturday, March 28th, 1857.

30,000 NUMBERS!—1,000 PRIZES!
In these Lotteries every prize must be drawn by some one, as all the Prizes are drawn out of the wheel.

R. F. H. HUBBARD, & Co. are authorized by the Managers to fill all orders.

STANDARD SCHEME.

1 prize of	\$2,000
1 prize of	10,000
2 prizes of	4,900
2 prizes of	3,000
4 prizes of	1,750
4 prizes of	1,500
4 prizes of	1,250
4 prizes of	1,000
10 prizes of	700
20 prizes of	500
144 prizes of	300

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 of \$400 Approx	\$82,000
4 of 300 "	10,000
8 of 200 "	4,900
8 of 150 "	3,000
16 of 100 "	2,000
16 of 90 "	1,750
16 of 80 "	1,500
16 of 70 "	1,250
16 of 60 "	1,000
40 of 55 "	700
80 of 50 "	500
576 of 30 "	300

1,000 Whole Tickets \$10; Halves \$5; Quarters 2 1/2.

BRILLIANT SCHEME.

GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY OF MD. Class B.
To be drawn in Baltimore Md. Saturday, March 21st, 1857.

SCHEME.

1 prize of	\$63,710
2 prizes of	12,500
2 prizes of	8,000
10 prizes of	5,000
10 prizes of	3,800
10 prizes of	2,000
27-100 prizes of	1,250
86 prizes of	600
132 prizes of	300
132 prizes of	200
132 prizes of	100
3,990 prizes of	40
25,740 prizes of	20

20,316 prizes amounting to \$1,141,110

Wholes \$20; Halves \$10; Quarters \$5; Eighths \$2 1/2.

Certificates of packages of 10 wholes \$310.00
do do 20 Halves 152.00
do do 20 Quarters 76.00
do do 20 Eighths 38.00

By all orders for tickets or packages in any of the Maryland Lotteries, will receive prompt attention, and the drawing mailed to all purchasers immediately after it is over.

Address: T. H. HUBBARD & CO.,
No. 39 Fayette-st., or Box No. 40,
Baltimore, Maryland.

OXFORD HOTEL

The undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has acquired a House of Entertainment in Oxford, Benton County, Alabama. His charges will be moderate, and no facilities will be spared for the comfort and convenience of those who may favor him with their patronage.

JOHN SPENCER,
January 7, 1857.—11.

No Mistake

THIS TIME!

All persons indebted to J. A. McCampbell and J. A. McCampbell & Co. are hereby notified, that if they do not wish to pay cash, they must pay up between this date, and the close of the month of January next—the sooner the better. They need not expect any other notice or request.
J. A. MCCAMPBELL,
Dec 17, 1856.—11.

PORTABLE STEAM ENGINES.

THE subscriber respectfully calls the attention of Southern Planters and Mechanics to the

Portable Steam Engines, of which he has the Agency in New Orleans. They are so simple in their construction that any negro of ordinary capacity can be taught to run one in a day. For driving light machinery, running cotton gins, plantation saw mills, or corn mills, pumping water, steaming food, &c., they cannot be excelled. A striking feature of these engines is that they cost less than would mules or horses, to do the same amount of work. A pair of horses will readily move them from place to place over any ordinary road. They require no brick work to set them up, but they are all ready to be put in operation, with the exception of a smoke-pipe or chimney. One is kept at work in the subscriber's warehouse every day between 9 and 3 o'clock, and all are invited to call and inspect. The subscriber especially should have these engines, to take the place of horse power in grinding cotton, and grinding corn, as the cost of running a 6, 8, or 10 horse Engine is much less per day than the expense of feeding the same number of horses.

For further particulars, address
D. C. LOWBER, Agent,
98 Magazine street,
New Orleans, Jan. 14, 1857.—11.

PRICES.

2 Horse Power	1 : : : : \$875
4 do do	1 : : : : 500
6 do do	1 : : : : 700
8 do do	1 : : : : 900
10 do do	1 : : : : 1,100

For further particulars, address
D. C. LOWBER, Agent,
98 Magazine street,
New Orleans, Jan. 14, 1857.—11.

THE MONTEVALLO

MALE & FEMALE INSTITUTES,
OF THE
Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

The first Session of the above Institutes, located in the Town of Montevallo, Shelby Co., Ala., by the Union Synod of the C. P. Church, will commence on the 2d Monday in October, 1856. The building in which the Female School will be taught, is beautiful, and large enough to accommodate more than 200 pupils. The one in which the male will open, is not so large, but the friends of the Schools hope soon to have one that will accommodate even more than the other.

Every branch appropriate to the most accomplished education, will be here taught, in the most thorough manner, by experienced and able instructors, upon the following terms:

First Class, \$16 00 per scholastic year
2d " 25 00 " " "
3d " 30 00 " " "
Collegiate C. 50 00 " " "
French, 20 00 " " "
Drawing, 20 00 " " "
Music, 45 00 " " "

One third of the tuition of the daughters of Ministers of the Gospel deducted. Candidates for the ministry taught free of charge.

The Rev. J. M. B. ROACH, is President of the Female, and the Rev. H. McKissok of the Male Institute.

These gentlemen hail from Tennessee—are graduates of the first class Colleges, and have been selected from a large number that applied for the situation.

Board from \$10 to \$12 per month.
Dr. L. T. REEVE, and
Rev. H. M. JONES, Presidents.

J. P. MORGAN, &
C. G. SAMUEL, Esqs.,
Secretaries of the two Boards of Trustees.
September 30, 1856.—6m.

TALLADEGA

Conference Institute.
The next session of this Institution will open on Monday, January 4, 1857, with the following Faculty:

Rev. F. M. GRACE, of the Ala. Conf., Principal.
Mrs. M. A. WELLS, of the Ala. Conf., Prof. F. CORBIN, Male.

Another assistant will be expected by the 1st February.

The annual session will be divided into three terms of 100 days each, as follows:

1 Term January 5—April 15
2 " April 15—July 25
3 Term Sept. 15—Dec. 15

Rates of Tuition.

Per term, Per annum.
Primary Department, \$7 " \$20 "
Preparatory " 10 " 30 "
Collegiate " 12 " 40 "
Music with use of instrument 50 "
Incidental expenses, water, wood, &c. \$1 per term. Language optional without extra charge.

Good board can be procured in the Institute, or in families at \$2 per month, including extra.

N. B. Little boys under 10 years admitted in the basement yard.

The Ala. Conference feel a deep interest in the success of this Institution and respectfully solicit their friends in the Talladega District for patronage.

For particulars of salary and address, apply to
F. M. GRACE, Principal.

TIN SHOP.

JOEL H. FARMER,
Takes this method of informing his old friends and customers, that he has moved his shop north of the Public square, on Rome street, near his residence, where he is prepared to do all sorts of

Tin and Sheet Iron Work.
AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.
He will also furnish the Sheet-iron on the square with TIN WARE, where his customers can be accommodated on as good terms as at the shop.

His entire business will be done upon the **Cash System**, not so much as a matter of choice as necessity.

He has also on the way a fine lot of COOKING STOVES, which he will be able to sell low for Cash.

He hopes his friends will not fail to call and ask if they have a small order unsettled—Let them not be disappointed, even if they have been three or four years. If they have not got the money, he will take them on return on January, 8th 1856.

Administratrix Notice.

THE undersigned has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of David Forney, dec'd. All persons having claims against said estate, will please present them as soon as possible, or at any rate, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

All those indebted to the estate individually, or to Forney & Montgomery, the trustees will pay by the first of March, as longer indulgence cannot be given.

Those interested will find their notes and accounts in the hands of J. B. & G. H. Forney, who are authorized to settle them and receipt for the same.

S. FORNEY,
Administratrix.
January 14, 1857.—61.

Strayed.

STRAYED from the subscriber, residing at Talladega, Benton Co., Ala., on the 17th inst., a small Bay Mare about 7 years old, with black mane and tail and a white mark between her eyes and nostrils.

I will pay a reasonable compensation to any person who may take up the above described mare and deliver her to me, or give me such information as will enable me to recover her.

Nov. 26, 1856. W. D. A. WILSON.

H. D. MCADAMS, J. D. ARNOLD.

MCADAMS & ARN

Jacksonville Republican

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JACKSONVILLE, ALA., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1857.

Whole No. 1059.

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EDITED, PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY
J. F. GRANT,
At \$2 a year in advance, or \$3 at the end
of the year.
A failure to give notice of a wish to dis-
continue will be considered an engagement
for the next.
No paper discontinued until all arrearages
are paid.
Terms of Advertising.
One dollar per square of 12 lines or less
for the first insertion, and fifty cents per
line for each continuation.
Advertisement of candidates \$3 in ad-
vance and \$5 after the election.
Circulars of Candidates 50 cents per square.

**WHOLESALE
DRUGGIST.**
HAYLAND, HARRAL & IRISLEY,
No. 80 MAIDEN LANE,
New York.
C. HAYLAND, H. W. IRISLEY,
JAMES HARRAL, W. K. KITCHEN.
HAYLAND, HARRAL & CO.
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Charleston, So. C.
HAYLAND, HARRAL & IRISLEY,
JAMES HARRAL, W. K. KITCHEN.
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HAYLAND, HARRAL & IRISLEY,
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JAMES HARRAL, W. K. KITCHEN.

BAKER & CASWELL,
Grocery & Commission
MERCHANTS.
Will attend promptly to the sale of
Cotton, Corn, Wheat, Bacon, Lard, Oat-
meal, &c., consigned to their care.
Admission if required made on Pro-
vision in Store.
Augusta, April 15, 1856.—ly

**Spring & Summer
STOCK OF**
Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Lin-
collars, &c., &c.
G. W. FERRY.
Residence: Hall Building, Front Street
Augusta, Ga.
THANKFUL for past favors, begs
leave to call the attention of Mer-
chants visiting Augusta, to his ex-
tensive stock of
SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.
Among which may be found latest
styles Mole-skin, Black and Blue
Beaver, Brush and Cass's HATS,
Bunk, Beaver, and Cass's soft-fine
Hats various colors. Cambric-
day, Leghorn, Mandarin and Pan-
ama Hats. Swiss, Seneca, Can-
ton, Florence, Padua and French
Straw, Double and single hair
Talm hair and Canada straw Hats,
Silk, Straw, Florence, Russian and
Lace BONNETS. Ribbed and
Florence, and Heloise Bloomers,
Silk, Gingham and Cotton CHA-
DRELLAS, Flowers, Tablis and
Bonnet Linings—assortment kept
full by supplies received weekly
from manufacturers, and offered at
prices as low as can be bought at
any southern market, and mer-
chants will find it to their interest
to examine my stock before mak-
ing purchases.
Augusta, Ga. March 2, 1855.

STATE OF ALABAMA.
Benton County.
Court of Probate for Benton County
Ala., Special Term, March 16th,
A. D. 1857.
THIS day came James N. Lenders and
Wm. Landers, administrators of the estate
of Stokely T. Nelson, dec'd, and filed their
account and vouchers for a final settle-
ment of said estate.
It is therefore ordered by
the court that Saturday the 18th day
of April next, 1857, be set for exam-
ining, stating and reporting said account
allowing said vouchers and making said
settlement, and that notice thereof be
given by publication in the Jacksonville
Republican, a news paper printed and
published in the Town of Jacksonville,
in said county, for three successive
weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all
persons concerned to be and appear at
a special term of said court, to be held
at the Court House of said county,
on said Monday the 18th day of April
next, and contest said settlement if
they think proper.
Witness, A. Woods, Judge of
said court, at office in the Town of
Jacksonville, on this the 16th
day of March A. D. 1857.
A. WOODS, Judge of
Mar. 11, 1857.—3t. Probate.

NOTICE.
There will be a Special Term of the
Commissioners Court held at the Court
Term in the Town of Jacksonville on
Monday the 23rd day of March last 1857
for the purpose of allowing Errors and
Insolvent for the Tax Collector of Said
County for the year 1856.
A. WOODS
Judge of Probate.
March 4th 1857.

Piano Fortes and Melodeons
From the best Manufacture
in the country, sold at *Major's*
Prices, and warranted in eve-
ry particular, by
W. BLANDIN, Agent.
December 21, 1856.—4t.

W. J. BORDEN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Solicitor in Chancery,
Jacksonville, Alabama;
Will give prompt attention to busi-
ness committed to his care.
April 1, 1856.—ly.

HASTIE, CALHOUN & Co.,
SADDLERY WAREHOUSE.
AND IMPORTERS OF
Harness, Coach Hardware & Trappings.
SUCCESSORS TO
HARE, CALHOUN & CO.
HARRAL, HARE & CO.
No. 39 HAYNE STREET, Charleston, S. C.
April 15, 1856.—ly.

MRS. A. J. McVEY,
DRESSMAKER.
111 N. 1st St.
Charleston, S. C. 177 Corner of
KING & GEORGE STREET.
April 15, 1856.—ly.

R. A. PRINGLE,
BOOK & STATIONER,
No. 177 EAST BAY,
Charleston, So. C.
Opposite the Building of the New Cas-
ton House, one door from S. S. Farrar
& Bro's.
The subscriber would invite the
attention of Merchants visiting this City,
to his Stock of Books & Stationery,
which will be sold at the lowest Manu-
facturers Price.

R. A. PRINGLE,
No. 177 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.
Reference—
Messrs. W. J. WALKER & CO.,
Or Mount Park, Boston, Co., Alabama.
April 15, 1856.—ly.

W. W. WYATT,
S. F. CARY,
Saddlery, Harness, &c., &c.,
No. 177 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.
Wholesale Dealers in
Foreign & Domestic Liquors,
Wines, Cigars, &c., &c.
Office—No. 177 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.
And in the Store of the
S. F. CARY, No. 177 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.
June 21, 1856.

**Foreign and Domestic
Dry Goods,**
27, HAYNE ST.,
CHARLESTON, S. C.
August 15, 1856.—ly

JOHN A. WINSTON & CO.
Commission Merchants.
AND FACTORS.
MOBILE, ALA.
T. DOMESTIC & REMSON, Agents.
We will advance on COTTON ship-
ped to John A. Winston & Co., Mobile,
Ala.
THOMAS & REMSON.
Aug. 25, 1856.

ROCK, WILKS & CO.
GENERAL
Commission Merchants.
COTTON FACTORS.
DEALERS IN
Foreign and Domestic Liquors,
Wines, Cigars, &c., &c.
AND GENERAL CO-OPERS OF
Virginia and Kentucky
TOBACCO.
No. 511, Main Street, between Third and
Fourth, Louisville, Ky.
June 21, 1856.

Turnley, Davis & Ramsey,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
AND
Solicitors in Chancery.
Will attend promptly to all
business committed to their
charge in the counties of Benton,
Cherokee, DeKalb, St. Clair, Tal-
lahadga, Randolph, &c., &c.
A. D. DRESS.
M. J. TURNLEY, Jacksonville, Ala.,
W. P. DAVIS, Canton, Ala.,
J. W. RAMSEY, Canton, Ala.
April 11, 1854.—ly.

MARTIN BOWIE & FORNEY,
PRACTICE in copartnership in the
several Courts of Benton
County.
Office at JACKSONVILLE, ALA.
WM. H. FORNEY resides at Jack-
sonville, and can be consulted at
all times on the business of the
firm.—He will also attend the Cir-
cuit Courts of DeKalb and of the
Counties adjoining to Benton.

W. H. BOWIE & FORNEY,
Have associated themselves in
the Practice of the Law.
Office—No. 5, Jacksonville,
Alabama.
JAMES B. MARTIN, JR.,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
AND
Solicitor in Chancery,
Will practice in the counties of Benton,
Cherokee, St. Clair, DeKalb, Marshall,
and Jackson.
Office No. 5, Office Row, Jack-
sonville, Alabama.
Feb. 5, 1857.—ly.

RICHARD SMITH, W. T. HATHETT,
SHOOT & HATCHETT,
WAREHOUSE
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WETUMPKA, ALA.
WAREHOUSE
late occupied
by Clark & Hatchett, and are pre-
pared to advance Cash, Bagging, Rope,
&c., on Cotton for shipment.
All orders promptly obeyed.
Special attention paid to the sale of
Cotton.
We will store Cotton at 25 cents
per bale for the season. Aug. 26, 1856
J. O. MARRAST, R. H. LEE,
Mobile, Perry County.
HARRAL & LEE,
Commission Merchants,
MOBILE.

LIBERAL Monthly facilities extended
to patrons. Mobile, Ala. Oct. 14, '56
HARRAL & LEE,
Commission Merchants,
MOBILE.

R. F. COLE & BROTHER,
Forwarding & Commission
MERCHANTS,
Savannah, Georgia.
August 5, 1856.—ly.

R. F. COLE,
Bay at Savannah.
R. F. COLE,
Commerce St. Mont.
August 5, 1856.—ly.

REFERENCES.
Messrs. Johnson &
Lockett & Snodgrass,
Robert A. Allen, Co.,
Cohens & Hertz,
Edwin Parsons & Co., Co.
Savannah, Johnson & Co.,
Savannah, GEORGIA.
August 5, 1856.—ly.

COHEN & HERTZ,
RECEIVING, FORWARDING AND
GENERAL
Commission Merchants,
119 N. 1st STREET,
Savannah, Georgia.
Will leave to tender their ser-
vices, and from their long expe-
rience in business are well satisfied they
will give entire satisfaction to all interests
entrusted to them. May 20, 1856.

JOHN W. CHEEVERS,
BASTON,
General Commission
MERCHANTS,
RECEIVING & FORWARDING AGT.
Charleston, So. C.
References—
Messrs. Ryan, French & Rowland,
Jacksonville, Ala.
" Myers & Rowan,
Asheville, Ala.
" A. Myers & Co., Charleston,
Mar. 13, 1856.—ly.
R. M. CAIN.

CLARK & CAIN,
Warehouse, Commission
AND
Forwarding Merchants,
WETUMPKA, ALA.
Will store Cotton in the
FREE PRESS
WAREHOUSE.
At 25 cents per bale for the season, and
give prompt attention to the sale of
Cotton and other produce.
Cash, Bagging, Rope, Gro-
ceries, &c., will be advanced liberally on
Cotton Stored with them.
No charge for Draying on Cotton.
R. M. CAIN, will be regular-
ly in the
EXCHANGE BUSINESS.
And prepared at all times to make the
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES on Cotton, Ship-
ped to Mobile or New Orleans.
August 19, 1856.—ly.

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES made
by the subscriber on Cotton
shipped to my friends in New York,
Charleston, Mobile or New Orleans.
DAN T. RYAN.
Oct. 16, 1856.—4t.
Jacksonville, (Benton County, Ala.)
OCTOBER 16th, 1856.

WANTED by the subscriber, twenty
five thousand dollars worth of
Land Warrants,
For which the highest cash prices will be
paid.
DAN T. RYAN, Agent.

J. S. PORTER,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
AND
Solicitor in Chancery,
WETUMPKA, ALA.
Will practice in the Counties of
Canton, Benton, St. Clair, DeKalb,
and Cherokee.
May 14, 1856.—ly.

R. G. HAZLE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Jacksonville, Ala.
Will practice in the Counties of
St. Clair, Randolph, Counties, Ala.,
and in the North East Room of the
Court House, opposite the office of the
Judge of Probate.
July 8, 1856.

Stone Mountain House.
BY ALEXANDER & CLARK.
STONE MOUNTAIN, GA.
Passengers on the Down Train
will SUP at this House.
Passengers on the Up Train
DINE at Social Circle.
J. A. CLARK,
Social Circle.
Fresh Garden Seeds.
A variety of GARDEN SEEDS, of
superior quality and most valuable
kinds, just received and for sale at the
Drug Store of
HENDRICK & NISBET.
Feb. 5, 1857.

B. T. POPE,
Attorney at Law,
ASHVILLE, ALA.

POETRY.

Childhood and Its Visitors.

BY SIR EDWARD LYTTON BELIER.

Once on a time, when sunny May
Was kissing up the April showers,
I saw fair childhood hard at play
Before a bank of blushing flowers,
Happy—she knew not whence or how;
And smiling—who could choose but love
him?

For not more glad than childhood's brow
Was the gay heaven that laughed above
him.
Old Time came hobbling in his wrath,
And that great valley's sabbath invaded;
The birds were dumb, the sun was hid;
The birds were mute, the flies faded;
A Grecian drapery of full light,
And that old Time began to batter,
But Childhood watched his power like
him, Nor heeded him, one wait, the victor.

With curling lip, and eye askance,
Childhood gazed upon the soot-stained
face,
But Childhood's army simple glance
Had such a holy spell within it,
That the dark demon to his chair
Again sprang forth its insidious plan,
And hid his envy and despair.
Self returned, in his own dominion.

Then stopped a gloomy phantom up,
Pale, cypress crowned, night's woe-ful
daughter,
And probed him with a fearful cup,
Full to the brim of bitter water;
Says Childhood, "Madam, what's your
name?"

And when the hellhound uttered "Sorrow,"
Then cried, "Don't interrupt my game,
I'll drink you to sleep to-morrow."

The name of Plutus thither came,
And wooed him with the soft numbers
That ever-sentient wealth and fame
Upon a youthful poet's slumbers,
Though sweet the lyre and sweet the lay,
To Childhood it was all a waste,
"Good gracious!" cried he, "send away
That noisy woman with a fiddle!"

Then with an aside his hat and ball,
And taught him with most sage endeavor,
Why babies cry and worms fall,
And why no joy may last forever;
She talked of all the wondrous laws
Which Nature's open book discloses;
But Childhood, when he made a pause,
Was fast asleep upon the roses.

Sleep on, Sleep on!—Palm-branch'd dreams
Are all of earthly pain or pleasure;
Of glory's toils, ambition's schemes,
Of cherished love or hoarded treasure;
But to the couch where Childhood lies,
A pure unmingled trance is given,
Lit up by rays from seraph's eyes,
And that dream-land is heaven!

MISCELLANEOUS.
To Young Men.
The following reasonable advice to lit-
erary students is clipped from the Burlington
Flag. Morality is the foundation of char-
acter and the corner-stone of respectability.
He who would attempt to build on any other
foundation will soon find himself reeling
on the sands bars of infamy and ruin.
Some young gentlemen think it smart to
swear. We think there can be no better
evidence of a bad, for we are certain there
is nothing wiser or more profitable.
We have no use for a boy who swears, curses,
drinks, smokes or does smart things. The
goal of that boy will be sorrow.
"Do you swear or use vulgar language?"
we hope not. If you do, let us inquire
wherein you are benefited thereby. The
use of such language does not add to your
respectability. It does not win the regard
of those who are above you in the com-
munity. It detracts from your worth, lowers you
in the estimation of the good and virtuous, and
even the pretense of larger good
than a contempt for you. To indulge in
profane language is not only useless, but
it is sinful; the book from which we gather
what is due to our common humanity is that
we "speak not at all." Some young persons
think that it is smart to be in the habit
of using abusive language. You are cer-
tainly not doing either in the presence of your
parents and others, from whom you know
you would receive a rebuke. Have you
ever thought of the inconsistency of doing,
in the presence of God, what you always see
you, when you are ashamed to do before
some of his creatures? If you will be satis-
fied with a name, you cannot fail to be
not only useless, but the great wicked-
ness of such language as we have referred to.
Remember, then, that morality and
virtue are beautiful, while profanity and
obscenity are low and disgusting.

If you have heretofore been addicted to
the use of improper language, break of it
once, it is a habit which will grow with
your growth, and strengthen with your
strength. Stop it while you may, and
before it has done you an injury, which time
and eternity may fail to remedy!

Foreign Relations.
The London Morning Star of the 13th
ult. has the following:
And with respect to China, we may here
mention an important statement given in
the French newspapers. It is that the rep-
resentatives of all the foreign powers at
Canton, with the sole exception of the Uni-
ted States minister, have come to a final
agreement. They believe that England has
only resorted to a measure that has struck
a fatal blow to European commerce, and
they are determined not to support it.
The Paris correspondent of the same
journal writes as follows:
Unhappily England and Russia have de-
clared war. She is exerting herself
to either co-operating or opposing each
other, but without caring anything for the
opinion of the rest of Europe. France will
understand that this is the time to put
an end to that practice; therefore, she resumes
everywhere on the most distant coast old
relations, or establishes new ones with non-
European States. She is exerting herself
at the same time to overcome the suspicion
and ill-feeling prevailing against her in
Germany, Spain and other States, and to
arrive at a good understanding, in particu-

lar with Prussia and Austria. The task is
difficult enough, and she has to proceed
with the utmost caution, but history has
made no false step and is constantly
gaining ground. Lord Palmerston's spas-
modic efforts, which only betray the anxi-
ety he feels at the situation, have all been
in vain.

At the present moment, this turn in the
foreign policy of France is visible in the
proceedings in preparation which have re-
ference to an other quarter of the globe,
namely, Central America. At the instiga-
tion of the government, the great com-
mercial bodies of the empire are signing a
petition praying the government to interfere
with that of the United States in favor of
the victims of the bombardment of Grey-
town, on the 13th July, 1854. There were
a dozen of French families established in
that town who suffered from the bombard-
ment, and a rather considerable amount of
French property was destroyed. President
Ponce would never hear of an indemnifica-
tion of course, it is very doubtful
whether Mr. Buchanan will.

Those who probably embrace the whole
maritime trade of France, will call upon
the French government to insist on an in-
demnification. The real purpose is to give
the government a pretext to mingle in the
affairs of Central America.

**The Persian war—England and
Russia.**
As far as the world knows, there is at
this time perfect friendship between En-
gland and Russia. No hostile notes have
for months been interchanged between
the two governments. The English Min-
ister at St. Petersburg, and the Russian
Minister at London, have sought to en-
courage them, but a stereotyped routine of
courtesy civilities. All is peace and good
fellowship between these nations, two years
since engaged in desperate conflict. Long
may it continue. But will it? Doubtful.
Never perhaps was there in advance of a
declaration of war, a better prospect of col-
lision on a grand scale, than that which now
threatens these imperial powers.

Let the reader look for a moment at the
map of Asia. With a tolerable recollection
of the history of the last hundred years, he
will be able to trace the advance of British
power North, and that of Russian power
South. Their possessions have continued to
approach until now, all that divides them
are the third rate states of Persia and Af-
ghanistan. Persia is little more than a de-
pendency of Russia, Afghanistan little more
than a dependency of Great Britain. The
two have gone to war for the possession of
Herat—a border town of some fifty thou-
sand souls, and a point of great strategic
importance. It is not very clear to whom
it rightly belongs, though probably to the
Afghans. At any rate, it has been for
some years in their possession, and was at
the time of its late capture by the Pers-
ians.

Great Britain has made common cause
with Afghanistan, sent a fleet into the Persian
Gulf, and seized the town of Basrah on
its waters, which she is fortifying. Hence
it is said her troops are to march across the
country and take possession of Herat. Not
that Persia is really any sufficient ground
for a British invasion, but for this war
the key to their Indian possessions. It is
not strange, then, that they are un-
willing that it should be in the hands of the
Persians, to be transferred by them here-
after to Russia. But will the latter, now
that it is in the keeping of her rival (Pers-
ia), consent to its re-annexation either by
the Afghans or the British? Probably not.
If not, then, by the time the English army,
which landed upon the Persian Gulf, has
invested Herat, it is not unlikely that the
Russian army, now assembled at the south-
ern point of the Caspian, will be on hand
for its deliverance. And we confess that
we shall not be greatly surprised if the con-
flict long since seen to be inevitable, be-
tween Great Britain and Russia, for the
possession of Asia, shall commence within
the next twelve months on the walls of
Herat.—*Scotchman's Georgian.*

Laying the Telegraphic Cable.
We learn that the Secretary of the Navy
has ordered the steam ship Niagara and
Mississippi, now at the Brooklyn Navy
Yard, to be equipped with apparatus to as-
sist in laying down the Atlantic telegraph
cable between Newfoundland and Ireland.
The Niagara is the largest ship of war in
our navy, and her armament of construction
well adapted her to the peculiar service
which she is designed, having a large "fish-
dock" with a high ceiling, upon which the
cable may be stowed through the entire
length of the ship, and from whence it can
be run off through the hatchway by the aid
of suitable steam apparatus. The Miss-
issippi will act similarly as a floating base
against accident. Another pair of
steamers, detained by the English govern-
ment, will be similarly equipped, and the
whole proceeding to a point in the Atlan-
tic, midway between the continents, the
two steamers having the cable on board,
will connect the halves carried by them
respectively, and steam away at a moder-
ate speed in opposite directions, for the
shore.

The two factories at which the cable is
being manufactured are located at Liver-
pool and London. The Niagara will sail
for one of those as soon as she can be made
ready, say by the end of the present month,
on a British steamer heading southwards only
at the factory there. Meanwhile, the Ni-
agara will be fitted up with apparatus to pay
out the wire, corresponding with that which
was used by the James Alder in laying
the Newfoundland cable, but of less pon-
derous kind, as the cable soon to be laid is
much more pliant and manageable than the
former.

The new cable is making at the rate of
fifteen miles per day at each factory, and
is expected to be completed and laid down
before the end of June. It will not be ne-
cessary that the Mississippi should leave
the United States until a short time pre-
vious to the laying of the cable.—*Journal of
Commerce.*

Another Horror.—The current cata-
logue of horrors was increased yesterday
morning (says the New York Tribune of
the 11th inst.) by the burning to death of
Mr. and Mrs. Posh, in the destruction of
their cabin war-house in Blacker street.
They used the extreme upper portion of a
five-story building for a dwelling-place, the
rooms below then being filled with highly
combustible materials. The fire began on
the ground, and before the firemen were a-

roused all the upper stories were so filled
with smoke that no one could see or breath
in. Every effort was made to save the
victims but rescue was impossible, and the
brave men who perilled their own lives
were reluctantly compelled to retreat before
the devouring flames. There are many
buildings similarly inhabited, where in
case of fire escape would be quite as im-
possible.

Our Rail Road.
The zeal, energy and devotedness of the
President and some of the Directors of our
Rail Road have inspired new confidence in
its early completion, appreciated the value
of the stock and given a fresh impulse
to the long-deferred hopes and expectations
of its friends and well-wishers. Various
adverse circumstances have conspired to
retard the operations of the Road, which
it may be profitable at some future time to
consider. All of these have given way un-
der the improved pecuniary condition of
the people, the plentifulness of money, and
the indomitable energy of our successful
President, Judge Walker.

That the Alabama and Tennessee River
Rail Road will succeed now, there is hardly
a negative conjecture; that its stock will
be a remunerative investment needs but a
hasty glance at its resources to demon-
strate.

It may safely be asserted that no Rail
Road in the United States has such an im-
mense and diversified way-freight to sup-
port. The agricultural capacities of the
country, through which it passes, are very
great. Besides the cotton, to be supplied
by the countries along and adjacent to the
line, there must be immense quantities of
corn, wheat, potatoes, flour, &c. The
garden, the dairy, the orchard, the forest
will yield their abundant quota. Besides
the agricultural productions, there is no
area of country in the United States of
equal dimensions, furnishing such an extent
and variety of valuable minerals.—Coal,
iron ore, Limestone, Marble and other
minerals of less value are found in great abun-
dances in Bibb, Shelby, St. Clair, Tal-
lahadga, Benton and Cherokee Counties.
Lateral Roads are now being constructed
to facilitate the transportation of coal, over
our Road. The price currents set down
the Shelby line in the same column with
Thomaston. As the Road has reached the
east bank of the Coosa River, our beau-
tiful and unexcelled marble will be largely
transported. In this hurried estimate, we
have not included the up freight, the bills of
lumber and molasses, the sacks of coffee
and salt, and the miscellaneous gro-
ceries and merchandise which must be
brought up the Road to supply the wants
of the interior.—*Tal. Watchtower.*

Mexico.—We are further informed that
Mr. Cass hastened back the omnibus treaty,
containing five several conventions with
Mexico. This treaty has never been acted
upon by the Senate, but has been rejected
in Cabinet Council. The Secretary of
State sends a long explanation of the reasons
for its rejection, and it is said that Mr.
Forrest, our Minister of Mexico, has been
instructed to make no more treaties in the
absence of special instructions so to do.

The rejection of the Mexican treaty will
be a death blow to that unfortunate repub-
lic. She is now without the means to pay
the expenses of her government. She is
harassed by Spain on the one hand, and
Great Britain on the other. Harassed by
these powers from without and from within,
constantly threatened with internal dis-
sensations, her treasury empty, her soldiers
starving for their pay, she applied to the
United States as a last resource. Obtain-
ing no aid from us, the Mexican Govern-
ment must examine to pieces and her ex-
istence is only the beginning of the end of
a movement, which must result in the ex-
tinction of all the efforts broken down South
American Republics. Government which
have no self-sustaining power must always
go to ruin at last.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Musical Jealousy.—A singular in-
cident in musical history occurred at Chesh-
ter last week, which we learn from a
friend and eye-witness of the occurrence.
A mocking bird, in a happy state of free-
dom, was sitting in the orchard below the
walls of our friend's house, when his
music excited similar efforts from a cap-
tured bird of the same species, which was
suspended in front of one of the adjacent
houses. These feathered songsters per-
ceived in raising their melodies to higher
and higher efforts, as if in earnest rivalry,
when, suddenly the bird among the trees,
dashed from its perch upon the wicker cage
of its competitor, broke the bars, entered in
and commenced an assault upon the musical
captive, the owner of which, hearing the
unusual noise, came out, took the aggres-
sor prisoner, and sold it into bondage.

The ill-colored mocking bird had, there-
fore, paid the penalty of sacrificing its
freedom to its jealousy. This anecdote is
a fact, and not written, as it might seem to
be, for the purpose of painting a moral a-
gainst musical jealousy among human
vocalists.—*South Side Democrat.*

Garroting.
The people of New York are becoming
very suspicious in regard to garroting, and
at night they halt suspect every man they
see of belonging to that fraternity. A cor-
respondent from that city gives a case sub-
stantially thus:
"The latest case of garroting presents
some novel features. A few nights ago,
a gentleman, Mr. B., was walking
down Eighth street, and noticed a man
apparently dogging his footsteps for sev-
eral blocks. Soon he brushed hastily by him
and again fell into the rear. Our hero clasp-
ed his hands to his vest pocket, and his
watch was missing. In a moment he
smelt a rat, and being rather a courageous
man, he immediately pulled out a re-
volver and presented it towards the mys-
terious stranger, and demanded a restoration
of his watch. The latter tried to escape,
but he of the revolver threatened to fire at
him the stranger ran a mile out a wretch
and hastily handed it to the other. They
then both ran off in opposite directions.
Mr. B., arrived at home, immediately
related the adventure to his wife; but
what was his surprise when that good lady
pointed out to him his watch, hanging on
the mantelpiece, where he had forgot-
fully left it when he started out. The
watch obtained from the mysterious stran-
ger was examined, and the difference be-
tween the two was obvious. So Mr. B.,
found to his sorrow that he had unwitting-
ly committed a highway robbery, and was
liable to imprisonment. He has not known

a moment's peace of mind since, and is a-
frail to advertise for the owner of the watch,
lest he may be some unfeeling Shylock,
who will insist on having the innocent
highway robber punished as the law di-
rects."

Lazy Boys.—A lazy boy makes a lazy
man, just as sure as a crooked twig makes
a crooked tree. Who ever yet saw a boy
grow up in idleness that did not make a
shiftless vagabond when he became a man,
unless he had a fortune left him to keep
thieves, paupers, and criminals that fill
our penitentiaries and almshouses, have
come up to what they are by being brought
up in idleness.

Those who constitute the business por-
tion of the community, those who make
our great and useful men, were trained up
in their boyhood to be industrious.

Advertising One's Business.—We have
just had down a copy of the London Times,
with the feeling which that journal always
awakens in us—astonishment at, and ad-
miration of, the prodigious extent to which
Englishmen, in the pursuit of wealth, ad-
vertise their business. The vaunted edi-
torial ability of the Times is, our opinion,
more than matched, upon more than one
American newspaper. But its advertising
supplement and its own solid columns of
indefinitely varied announcements, are a
wonder unequalled in our journalism, as it
is characteristic of the most systematic and
successful property acquirers on the face
of the earth. Whatever the English have
got to sell they advertise. The solid col-
umns of the London Times are a reflection
of the industry of a large part of the British
people.—*Albany Journal.*

A Good Man's Wish.—I freely confess to
you that I would rather, when I am laid
down in the grave, have some one in his
manhood stand over me and say: "There
lies one who was a real friend to me, and
privately warned me of the dangers of the
young; no one knew it; but he aided me in
the time of need; I owe what I am to him;
or I would rather have some widow, with
choking utterance, telling her children:
"There is your friend and mine. He visit-
ed me in my affliction, and found you, my
son, an employer, and you, my daughter,
a happy home in a virtuous family." I say,
I would rather that such persons should
stand at my grave, than to have erected
over it the most beautiful sculptured monu-
ment of Parisian or Italian marble. The
heart's broken utterance of reflections of
the past kindness, and the tears of a grate-
ful memory shed upon the grave, than the
most costly cenotaph ever re

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Superior articles of Brown and Loaf Sugar, and the best Rio and Laguira Coffee.

Also—

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AND SARINER.

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Fine Cigars, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Candies, Spice, Ginger, Pepper, Rice, Soda, Toilet Soap, Lead and Shot.

CHOICE LIQUORS.

Brandies (Old), Wine, all kinds, including Champagne, Rum, Gin, and Whisky by the Wholesale.

He has also on hand a small assortment of

STAPLE.

Consisting of Trace Churns, Hams, Suet, Lard, Coffee, Tea, Kettles, Fryers, Pans, Drawing, Carving and Pocket Knives, Axes, Saws, Axes, Razors, Scissors, Tins, Cans, Soap, Combs, Forks, Spoons, Lard, Soup Ladles, Tacks, Screws, Hinges, Red Castors, and Nails—in fact everything from a Household of Sugar to a Mouse Trap.

G. W. M. is determined to sell at the above articles at low figures and no mistake!

He respectfully solicits a visit from old and young, male and female.

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READY-MADE CLOTHING.

Hats, Boots & Shoes, Hardware and

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A lot of Coffee, Salt, Raisins, Tobacco,

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Our Stock is large, and was purchased

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We invite the attention of purchasers

are determined to sell Goods as low

as any other merchant in the County—

Give us a call and see.

W. J. WALKER & Co.

March 23, 1857.—

Special Notice.

I have recently doubled my appoint-

ments around the County and there are

many persons who have not paid their

taxes for the last year. All who have

not paid, are earnestly requested to do

so as soon as possible. I must wait

their money, and it cannot be ex-

pected of me to pay it before I collect it.

JAMES M. TURNER.

Tax Col. B. C.

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SWAN & CO'S. LOTTERIES.

CAPITAL PRIZE

\$50,000.

TICKETS ONLY \$10.

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I will at the following times and

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10 Tuesday 8

11 Wednesday 9

12 Thursday 10

13 Friday 11

14 Saturday 12

15 Sunday 13

16 Monday 14

17 Tuesday 15

18 Wednesday 16

19 Thursday 17

20 Friday 18

21 Saturday 19

22 Sunday 20

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